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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

DETAILED ACTION

Requirements for Information 37 CFR 1.105

1. The reply filed on 12/28/2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

The inventive entity failed to provide a proper response to the requested information. As clearly stated in the last office action, the office specifically asked, and here again request for information describing the nature of the audience, and if the presentation included any member of the general public. Applicant's response states, "The Declaration shows that there is no evidence the public was present at an alleged presentation concerning Exhibit A" (Applicants Remark, Page 6 of 7, ¶3). For clarification purposes, suppose applicant's statement in the response is true that the declaration at the alleged presentation concerning Exhibit A shows no evidence of any member of the general public. However, the examiner also points that the Exhibit presented during the presentation also likewise fails to provide evidence excluding any member of the general public during the alleged presentation. Thus, the statement made as a response to the requirement made by the office is not a sufficient response to the requested information questioning if the presentation included any member of the general public. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid

abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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2. 37 CFR 1.105 states: (a) (1) In the course of examining or treating a matter in a pending or abandoned application filed under 35 U.S.C. 111 or 371 (including a reissue application), in a patent, or in a reexamination proceeding, the examiner or other Office employee may require the submission, from individuals identified under CFR §1.56(c), or any assignee, of such information as may be reasonably necessary to properly examine or treat the matter.

Applicant and the assignee of this application are required under 37 CFR § 1.105 to provide the following information that the examiner has determined is reasonably necessary to the examination of the application.

It has been noted that "Exhibit A" (presented in support of the declaration filed) was a presentation prearranged in an office building as declared by the declaration. However, there is no statement made in regards to the audience that attended the presentation. The examiner desires information describing the nature of the audience, and if the presentation included any member of the general public.

3. In response to this requirement, please provide statement/information describing the audience that attended the presentation.

The fee and certification requirements of 37 C.F.R § 1.97 are waived. This waiver extends only to those documents within the scope of this requirement under 37 CFR § 1.105 that are included in the applicant's first complete communication responding to this requirement. Any supplemental replies subsequent to the first communication responding to this requirement and any information disclosures beyond the scope of this requirement under 37 CFR § 1.105 are subjected to the fee and certification requirement of 37 C.F.R § 1.97.

The applicant is reminded that the reply to this requirement must be made with candor and good faith under 37 CFR § 1.56. Where the applicant does not have or cannot readily obtain an item of required information, a statement that the item is unknown or cannot be readily obtained will be accepted as a complete response to the requirement for that item.

This requirement is subject to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.134, 1.135 and 1.136 and has a shortened statutory period of 2 month. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Yemane M. Gerezgiher whose telephone number is (571) 272-3927. The examiner can normally be reached on 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM Mon - Fri.

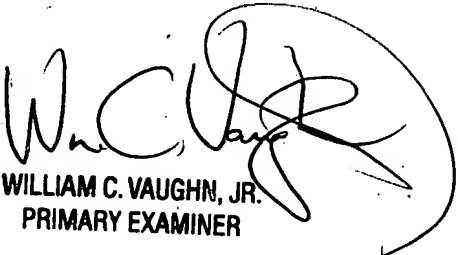
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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, William Vaughn can be reached at (571) 272-3932. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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